some technical experts to submit a report about the Honnemaradu Project;

(*b*) what steps our Government have taken to see that this Project is included in the First or the Second Five-Year Plan ?

A.—Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA (Minister for Agriculture).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The Planning Commission have been addressed in the matter and detailed estimates are being sent to them shortly.

Beggary (steps to prohibit).

Q.—34. Sri B. MADHAVACHAR (Bhadravathi).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether they proposed to take action for removal of beggary throughout the State;

(*b*) if so, what are the plans and proposals contemplated to be adopted ?

A.—Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA (Minister for Agriculture).—

(*a*) Begging is prohibited under the Act for the Prohibition of Beggary 1944 (Act No. XXXIII of 1944) and it has been made applicable at present to the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore with effect from October 1946 and January 1949, respectively. With a view to achieve better results in this direction, a Sub-Committee was appointed to suggest measures for improving the working of the scheme and also to examine the possibilities of extending the Act to other parts of the State.

(*b*) The Sub-Committee have recommended for extending the Act to the District Headquarter Towns immediately and to other places in due course in the light of experience to be gained. The maintenance of institutions to be established in different places for the purpose will be a joint responsibility of both the Government and the Local Body concerned. The report of the Sub-Committee is being examined by the Central Beggar Relief Committee.

Q.—66. Sri S. M. LINGAPPA (Krishnarajpet).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether they have prepared an estimate for the construction of a Hospital Building in Bukinakere Village in Krishnarajpet Taluk;

(*b*) if so, the action taken by them ?

A.—Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The estimate is under scrutiny

Dispensary at Aghalaya.

Q.—68. Sri S. M. LINGAPPA (Krishnarajpet).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether they have received any representation from the villagers of Aghalaya in Krishnarajpet Taluk for opening a dispensary;

(*b*) if so, what is the action taken by them ?

A.—Sri T. CHANNIAH (Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The proposal to open a dispensary at Aghalaya is under consideration.

Dewans' Pensions.

Q.—157. Sri V. R. NAIDU (Malleswaram).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of Retired Dewans to whom the Government is paying pension in the State;

(*b*) the amount that is being paid to each ?

A.—Sri K. HANUMANTHAIYA (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) 3.

(*b*)—

	Rs.
Dr. M. Visvesvaraya...	1,250 per mensem
Sir Mirza M. Ismail ...	2,000
Sri N. Madhava Rau...	1,250

Electric Power in Kolar Area (Conversion from 24 to 50 cycles).

Q.—240. Sri G. NARAYANA GOWDA (Mulbagal-Srinivaspur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether they intend converting 24 cycles power into 50 cycles in the Kolar area ;

(*b*) if so, when ?

A.—Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA (Minister for Agriculture).—

(*a*) Yes, except in the mining area.

(*b*) In about 2 or 3 years' time.

Prosecution against Police of neighbouring State (withdrawal).

Q.—418. Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY (Malur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether the State Government had prosecuted Shri A. V. Raghavalu, Sub-Inspector of Police, Shri Narayana Reddy and Shri Muniswamy, Police Constables of Chittoor District of the former composite Madras State and now of the Andhra State for murder of a Mysore Citizen, near Nangli village within the State limits, in the First Class Magistrate's Court, Kolar, recently ;

(*b*) whether the State Government has withdrawn the prosecution ;

(*c*) if so, the reasons therefor ?

A.—Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Home and Industries).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) The decision for withdrawing the prosecution is based on reasons of State.

Water Supply to Lakkavalli Village

Q.—630. Sri T. C. BASAPPA (Tarikere).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) when the estimate was prepared for the supply of water to Lakkavalli village ;

(*b*) whether the same is sanctioned; if so, on what date and for how much ?

A.—Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

(*a*) During November 1949.

(*b*) Not sanctioned. Modified proposals are under consideration.

RAJPRAMUKH'S RECOMMENDATION

Mr. DEPUTY SPEAKER.—I have received the following Order from the Rajpramukh :

"In pursuance of clause (1) of Article 205 of the Constitution of India, I, Jaya Chamaraja Wadiyar, Rajpramukh of Mysore, do hereby direct that the statement showing the grants aggregating the amount indicated hereunder as detailed in the statement of Estimates annexed be laid before the October Session, 1954, of the Legislature.

Voted

Expenditure met from	Rs.
Revenue	30,79,400
Capital	75,00,400
Loans and Advances	7,38,000
Total	1,13,17,800